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1. MOZAMBIQUE'S COMPLAINT --

WESTERN FIVE MET INFORMALLY TO DISCUSS AFRICAN DRAFT SC RESOLUTION ON MOZAMBIQUE'S COMPLAINT, WHICH RAMPHUL (MAURITIUS) HAD GIVEN THEM. RAMPHUL HAD PREVIOUSLY CONSULTED MOZAMBIQUE, AFRICAN AND NONALIGNED GROUPS, OAU REPS, USSR AND CHINA. THE GENERAL CONSENSUS OF THE FIVE WAS THAT THE TEXT WAS NOT AS BAD AS IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN, BUT THERE WERE FOUR MAIN PROBLEM AREAS. THESE INCLUDED: APPARENT BLESSING OF OUTSIDE MILITARY ASSISTANCE; HANDLING OF "LEGITIMACY OF THE STRUGGLE";
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DISTORTED REFERENCE TO MAPUTO DECLARATION; AND STRENGTH OF FINGER POINTING AT SOUTH AFRICA. THE FIVE WILL MEET AGAIN EARLY JUNE 29 TO DISCUSS THE DRAFT. (CONFIDENTIAL -- USUN 2078, 2079)

2. CIEC AND RESUMED 31ST GA --

REGIONAL GROUPS HAVE BEEN INFORMED THAT THE SCENARIO FOR THE RESUMED 31ST GA, SEPT. 13-16, IS FOR A FORMAL OPENING IN PLENARY, FOLLOWED BY DISCUSSIONS IN A RESUMED COMMITTEE 2, AND TERMINATING WITH ANOTHER PLENARY SESSION. USUN UNDERSTANDS BOLIVIAN AMB VALDES MAY RETURN TO PRESIDE OVER RESUMED COMMITTEE 2. SWEDISH AMB THUNBORD UNDERSTANDS THE SESSION WILL CONSIST OF "POLITICAL STATEMENTS CONCLUDING WITH A DECLARATION," WITH THE LAST NOT DEALING WITH CIEC SUBSTANCE, BUT NOT ALL WEO'S AGREE. FRG NOTED GA RESOLUTIONS SET THE STAGE FOR A "TRIAL AND CONDEMNATION" OF THE WEST, AND CANADIANS ALSO ANTICIPATED SOME HEATING UP OF RHOETORIC. UK SUGGESTED PROPOSING TO DEBATE FOLLOW-UP ON SPECIFIC ITEMS AGREED TO AT CIEC, EVEN DRAWING UP A "CHECK LIST," AND CANADIANS SUGGESTED MAKING APPROACHES IN CAPITALS.

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3. 32ND GA COMMITTEE CHAIRMANSHIPS --

AT WEO MEETING, SWEDISH AMBASSADOR NOTED THAT THE LATIN AMERICAN GROUP EXPRESSED STRONG INTEREST IN COMMITTEE 6 CHAIRMANSHIP AT THE 32ND GA, IN ADDITION TO COMMITTEE 3. CONSENSUS OF WEO'S, WHO HAD WANTED COMMITTEE 6, WAS THAT GIVEN IMPORTANCE OF COMMITTEE 2 THIS YEAR, THE CHAIRMAN SHOULD MAKE ONLY A MILD DEFENSE OF THE WEO CLAIM AND "FALL BACK" TO ACCEPTING COMMITTEE 2. AUSTRIA WOULD BE THE WEO CANDIDATE. (LIMITED OFFICIAL USE -- USUN 2069)

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4. UN RESTRUCTURING --

FROM JAMAICANS, USUN RECEIVED THE TEXT OF G-27
WORKING PAPER ON ECOSOC SUBSIDIARY MACHINERY, BUT HAS
BEEN UNABLE TO ASCERTAIN THE STATUS OF THAT PART IN
BRACKETS. (LIMITED OFFICIAL USE -- USUN 2073)

5. GENEVA GS-LEVEL SALARIES --

LEADING WESTERN COMMITTEE 5 REPRESENTATIVES HAVE
BEEN EXCHANGING VIEWS ON GENEVA GS SALARY PROBLEM IN
LIGHT OF GENERAL EXPECTATION THAT CURRENT ICSC SURVEY
WILL LEAD TO FINDING THAT GS ARE BEING OVERPAID BY
15-20 PERCENT. ASYG DEBATIN TOLD JAPANESE AND CANADIANS
THAT SYG WALDHEIM IS VERY CONCERNED THAT ICSC FINDING
MAY LEAD TO SOME TYPE OF "JOB ACTION" IN GENEVA AND
WOULD UNDERCUT SYG SETTLEMENT MADE LAST YEAR. REPORTEDLY
WALDHEIM ASKED ICSC CHAIRMAN QUIJANO TO "GO EASY,"
POINTING OUT SENSITIVITY OF THE PROBLEM. US, UK, FRG,
FRENCH, JAPANESE, BELGIAN AND CANADIAN DELS AGREED AD
REFERENDUM THEY SHOULD LET DEBATIN AND OTHERS KNOW THAT
THEY EXPECT THE SYG TO SUPPORT THE ICSC AND THEY IN
TURN WILL SUPPORT THE SYG AT THE NEXT GA. ALL AGREED
THAT GS SALARIES WOULD HAVE TO BE BROUGHT BACK INTO LINE
ON A GRADUAL BASIS. THEY ALSO AGREED THAT THE CRITICAL
ARENA ON THIS QUESTION WILL BE THE 32ND GA AND THAT NOT
ONLY WILL THE ICSC FINDINGS BE AT ISSUE, BUT ALSO WHETHER
THE SYG WILL CONTINUE TO HAVE THE FINAL RESPONSIBILITY
FOR SETTING GS SALARIES. (CONFIDENTIAL -- USUN 2066)

6. COMMITTEE FOR PROGRAM AND COORDINATION (CPC) --
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ALTHOUGH CPC FAILED TO COMPLETE ITS AGENDA DURING

ITS STRENUOUS FOUR-WEEK SESSION (MAY 23-JUNE 17), IT DID A CREDITABLE JOB IN EXAMING PROGRAM PRIORITIES IN SELECTED AREAS, DESPITE EXTREMELY POOR SECRETARIAT DOCUMENTATION. ON THE PLUS SIDE WERE CHAIRMANSHIP OF HANSEN (DENMARK) AND THE RELATIVE MODERATION OF THE DEVELOPING COUNTRY MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE. MANY DELEGATIONS WERE UNPREPARED TO ENGAGE IN DISCUSSION WHICH PRESUPPOSED BROAD KNOWLEDGE OF UN PROGRAMS AND CLOSE STUDY OF THE VULMINOUS DOCUMENTATION. THE COMMITTEE, WHICH FAILED TO COVER THE PROPOSED PROGRAM BUDGET SECTION BY SECTION, WAS REASONABLY SCRUPULOUS IN OBSERVING THE LINE OF DEMARCATION BETWEEN ITS RESPONSIBILITIES AND THOSE OF THE ACABQ. (LIMITED OFFICIAL USE -- USUN 2072)

7. SAHARA PROBLEM --

SYG WALDHEIM WAS APPRECIATIVE OF THE SECRETARY'S CONSIDERATION AND RESPONSE WHEN AMB MCHENRY, ON BEHALF OF THE SECRETARY, CONVEYED TALKING POINTS IN RESPONSE TO WALDHEIM'S INQUIRY ON THE SAHARA. THE SYG SAID HE HAD CONVEYED ALGERIA'S INQUIRY TO THE MOROCCAN GOVERNMENT, WHICH HAD NOT BEEN VERY RESPONSIVE. ALGERIANS, IN TURN, SUGGESTED SOME FORM OF CONSULTATIONS. (CONFIDENTIAL -- USUN 2077)

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8. SUBCOMMITTEE ON SMALL TERRITORIES --

THE SUBCOMMITTEE CONCLUDED DEBATE JUNE 27 ON GUAM AND ON THE COCOS (KEELING) ISLANDS, HEARING VIEWS ON THE LATTER BY INDONESIA AND TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO, AND CLOSING STATEMENTS BY THE US AND AUSTRALIA. RAPPORTEUR FORRESTER (AUSTRALIA) INTRODUCED DRAFT REPORTS ON AMERICAN SAMOA, NEW HEBRIDES AND ST. HELENA. KRIENDLER REAFFIRMED THE USG COMMITMENT TO STRENGTHEN THE ECONOMY AND TO PROMOTE FULL SELF-GOVERNMENT IN GUAM, AND HE TOLD THE SUBCOMMITTEE THE US WAS CONSIDERING ITS INTEREST IN DISPATCHING A VISITING MISSION TO THE TERRITORY.

ABDULDJALIL (INDONESIA) COMMENDED AUSTRALIA FOR ITS EFFORTS IN THE COS ISLANDS, NOTED THAT UNDER THE RULE OF CLUNIES ROSS EDUCATION HAD BEEN INADEQUATE AND THE PEOPLE REMAINED LARGELY IN IGNORANCE OF THEIR DEVELOPMENT CHOICES, WAS GRATIFIED EFFORTS WERE BEING MADE TO PROMOTE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND HOPED THE PEOPLE WOULD BE ABLE TO EXERCISE THEIR RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION IN THE NOT TOO DISTANT FUTURE.

BROOMES (TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO) SAID THAT POLITICAL EDUCATION FOR THE COCOS ISLANDERS SEEMED NECESSARY, AND HE THOUGHT THAT AUSTRALIA'S PROPOSALS ON ECONOMIC AND

SOCIAL MATTERS WERE PRAISEWORTHY. IN CLOSING STATEMENT, GREET (AUSTRALIA) ASSURED THE SUBCOMMITTEE AUSTRALIA INTENDED TO PROMOTE CONSTRUCTIVE DEVELOPMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF BRINGING THE COCOS ISLANDS TO A POSITION WHERE AN ACT
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OF SELF-DETERMINATION COULD TAKE PLACE.

DIAKITE (MALI) SAID THAT HIS DELEGATION HAD NOT BEEN ABLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE DISCUSSIONS ON ST. HELENA, NEW HEBRIDES AND AMERICAN SAMOA. STATING HE HAD RESERVATIONS, HE EXPLAINED THAT MOST OF THE DOCUMENTS WERE UNACCEPTABLE TO HIS DELEGATION BECAUSE THEY WERE ISSUED ONLY IN ENGLISH. HE ASKED THAT THEY BE TRANSLATED AND DISTRIBUTED BEFORE THE NEXT MEETING.

9. LAW OF THE SEA CONFERENCE --

THE CONFERENCE DECIDED JUNE 28, AT PRESIDENT AMERASINGHE'S (SRI LANKA) SUGGESTION, THAT THE PRESIDENT, JOINTLY WITH THE CHAIRMEN OF THE THREE MAIN COMMITTEES, SHOULD PREPARE AN "INFORMAL COMPOSITE NEGOTIATING TEXT," WHICH WOULD REPLACE THE EXISTING REVISED SINGLE NEGOTIATING TEXT, TO BE USED AS THE BASIS FOR FURTHER NEGOTIATIONS TOWARD A CONVENTION ON THE LAW OF THE SEA. IT WAS AGREED THAT NEGOTIATIONS ON THE COMPOSITE TEXT WOULD BEGIN IN INFORMAL (CLOSED) PLENARY MEETINGS AS SOON AS THE NEW TEXT IS READY IN ALL SIX LANGUAGES OF THE CONFERENCE, AND THAT THEY WILL CONTINUE UNTIL THE LAST DAY OR TWO OF THE CURRENT SESSION, SCHEDULED TO CLOSE JULY 15. THE CONFERENCE WILL THEN DISCUSS ARRANGEMENTS FOR ITS FUTURE WORK.

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THE PROPOSAL HAD BEEN APPROVED EARLIER IN THE DAY
BY THE GENERAL COMMITTEE, WHERE STATEMENTS IN SUPPORT OF
IT HAD BEEN MADE BY 21 DELS (INCLUDING THE US). IN PLENARY
28 DELS SPOKE, ALL OF THEM GENERALLY AGREEING WITH THE
PRESIDENT'S SUGGESTIONS. A NUMBER STRESSED THAT THE
PRESIDENT'S VIEWS SHOULD PREVAIL IN CASE OF A DISAGREEMENT
BETWEEN HIM AND THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN WITH REGARD TO A
PARTICULAR PROVISION OF THE COMPOSITE TEXT.

10. COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCES --

THE COMMITTEE JUNE 28 APPROVED PRELIMINARY RECOM-
MENDATIONS RELATING TO REDUCING THE VOLUME OF MEETING
RECORDS AND DECIDED TO RECOMMEND THAT THE GA AUTHORIZE
THE SYG TO OVER-PROGRAM MEETINGS AND INTERPRETATION

SERVICES DURING 1978 "AT A LEVEL WHICH WOULD ENSURE MAXIMUM UTILIZATION OF THE PERMANENT CADRE OF INTER-PRETERS AND MINIMIZE THE OVER-RECRUITMENT OF TEMPORARY STAFF."

11. SECURITY COUNCIL -- MOZAMBIQUE'S COMPLAINT

THE SC BEGAN CONSIDERATION JUNE 28 OF MOZAMBIQUE'S COMPLAINT AGAINST RHODESIA, AND WILL CONTINUE THE DEBATE AT 10:30 A.M., JUNE 29. DOS SANTOS, MOZAMBIQUE'S MINISTER OF DEVELOPMENT AND ECONOMIC PLANNING, ASKED THE SC TO CALL ON MEMBER STATES TO PROVIDE ASSISTANCE TO MOZAMBIQUE SO THAT IT COULD SUSTAIN ITSELF AGAINST RHODESIAN AGGRESSION. OTHER SPEAKERS WERE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF ZAMBIA, TANZANIA AND LESOTHO, NIGERIAN COMMISSIONER FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS, FIRST VICE PRIME MINISTER OF ANGOLA, ACTING CONFIDENTIAL

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CHAIRMAN OF AFRICAN GROUP (SENEGAL), AND REPRESENTATIVES OF BENIN AND EGYPT.

MOZAMBIQUE -- DOS SANTOS SAID THAT SMITH'S ARMY HAD MURDERED 1,432 PERSONS, OF WHOM 1,001 WERE ZIMBABWE REFUGEES, SINCE MOZAMBIQUE BEGAN TO APPLY SANCTIONS. HE GAVE DETAILS OF NUMEROUS INCURSIONS, AVERAGING ONE ATTACK EVERY THREE DAYS, AND DESCRIBED THE RESULTING DAMAGE. HE DECLARED THAT THE SMITH REGIME WAS NOW LAUNCHING LARGE-SCALE ATTACKS AGAINST MOZAMBIQUE WITH WELL-DEFINED OBJECTIVES THAT HAD COME TO INCLUDE VITAL POINTS OF THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL INFRASTRUCTURE. MOZAMBIQUE WAS BEING ATTACKED BECAUSE IT WAS A FREE, INDEPENDENT COUNTRY. THE RHODESIAN REGIME WAS NOT ALONE IN ITS AGGRESSION; IT WAS SUPPORTED MILITARILY BY CERTAIN COUNTRIES, WHO HAD THUS BECOME ACCOMPLICES. SOUTHERN AFRICA HAD BEEN TRANSFORMED INTO "A HOT-SPOT OF TENSION, SERIOUSLY ENDANGERING WORLD PEACE AND SECURITY."

AT THIS TIME, DOS SANTOS CONTINUED, THERE WAS ALSO "THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE ANGLO-AMERICAN INITIATIVES TOWARD FINDING A SOLUTION FOR THE SO-CALLED RHODESIAN QUESTION". THE FIRST PHASE CULMINATING IN THE GENEVA CONFERENCE SHOWED THE UNFEASIBILITY OF ANY SOLUTION THAT INCLUDED IAN SMITH IN AN ACTIVE ROLE AS MEDIATOR. THE SECOND PHASE NOW UNDERWAY "MUST NOT ATTEMPT TO LEGALIZE COLONIALISM", MUST NOT ATTEMPT TO FIND A COMMON PLATFORM OR ALLIANCE BETWEEN THE BLACK PUPPETS AND THE WHITE RACISTS.

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IF THAT WERE DONE, THE DIPLOMATIC ATTEMPTS WOULD BE

FLATLY VOTED DOWN AND LEAD TO DETERIORATION OF THE SITUATION. MOZAMBIQUE BELIEVED THAT THE UK SHOULD NEGOTIATE WITH THE PATRIOTIC FRONT ON MEANS FOR TRANSFERRAL OF POWER.

MOZAMBIQUE HAD BEEN OBLIGED TO MOBILIZE ITS SMALL MATERIAL RESOURCES FOR ITS DEFENSE, RESOURCES WHICH SHOULD BE CHanneLED INTO MORE PRESSING TASKS OF NATIONAL RECONSTRUCTION, DOS SANTOS STATED. AID PROVIDED HAD BEEN SIGNIFICANTLY LESS THAN WHAT WAS NECESSARY. IT WAS THEREFORE IMPERATIVE THAT THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTE TO THE REENFORCEMENT OF MOZAMBIQUE'S MILITARY CAPABILITY BY SUPPLYING NECESSARY EQUIPMENT FOR DEFENDING ITS FRONTIER WITH RHODESIA. HI PEOPLE NEEDED ARMS TO DEFEND THE PEACE AND IMPLEMENT THE DECISIONS OF INTERNATIONAL BODIES, HE SAID, ADDING "IT WILL NOT BE US, BY FORCE OF ARMS, WHO OVERTHROWS THE HATED SMITH REGIME...IT WILL BE THE PEOPLE OF ZIMBABWE THEMSELVES WHO WIN THEIR INDEPENDENCE". DOS SANTOS APPEALED TO THE SC TO DEVELOP EFFORTS TO CONCRETIZE THE FINANCIAL, MATERIAL AND TECHNICAL AID CALLED FOR IN SC RES 386, APPEALED FOR SPECIAL ASSISTANCE FOR RECONSTRUCTING AREAS DESTROYED BY AGGRESSION, CALCULATED AT OVER \$13 MILLION. HE ALSO CALLED FOR INTENSIFIED SUPPORT FOR THE LIBERATION STRUGGLE IN ZIMBABWE, INCLUDING ISOLATION OF THE SMITH REGIME AND FULL APPLICATION OF SANCTIONS.

ZAMBIA -- FOREIGN MINISTER MWALE FOUND IT NOTEWORTHY THAT SMITH'S "MOST VICIOUS ACTS OF AGGRESSION" AGAINST MOZAMBIQUE HAD BEEN COMMITTED AS SOON AS THE DELEGATES HAD LEFT THE MAPUTO CONFERENCE AND SHORTLY AFTER A VISIT TO SALISBURY BY UK AND US ENVOYS IN SEARCH OF A NEGOTIATED CONFIDENTIAL

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SETTLEMENT. ZAMBIA CONCLUDED THAT SMITH IS AN "ILLUSION". HIS STRENGTH LIES IN SOUTH AFRICA, CERTAIN WESTERN GOVERNMENTS AND MULTINATIONAL CORPORATIONS, INCLUDING OIL COMPANIES, AND THEREFORE THEY ARE HIS ACCOMPLICES. MWALE CHARGED THAT THE SMITH REGIME WAS SEEKING TO INTERNATIONALIZE THE CONFLICT, BELIEVING THAT IF THE FRONT-LINE STATES INVITED THEIR FRIENDS TO ASSIST THEM, THE WESTERN COUNTRIES WOULD INTERVENE ON ITS SIDE. THIS WAS "A DANGEROUS GAME", AND "IT IS NO EXAGGERATION THAT THE SITUATION IN SOUTHERN AFRICA HAS THE SEEDS FOR A POLARIZED GLOBAL CONFLICT", MWALE SAID. HE DID NOT HAVE MUCH FAITH IN THE US-UK INITIATIVE, AND WANTED TO LET THEM KNOW THAT THEIR BEHAVIOR DURING THIS DEBATE WOULD HAVE A DIRECT BEARING ON THE FATE OF THEIR INITIATIVE. ANY ATTEMPT TO INSTALL A PUPPET REGIME IN ZIMBABWE WOULD BE TANTAMOUNT TO CREATING CONDITIONS FOR CIVIL WAR AND WOULD BE STRENUOUSLY OPPOSED. MOZAMBIQUE HAD MADE REASONABLE DEMANDS ON THE SC, WHICH MERITED THE UNANIMOUS SUPPORT OF

ALL COUNCIL MEMBERS. IN CONCLUSION, HE CALLED FOR FULL
ECONOMIC SANCTIONS, PARTICULARLY OIL SUPPLY.

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TANZANIA -- FOREIGN MINISTER MKAPA NOTED THAT TANZANIA WAS ONE OF THE FIVE AFRICAN STATES SPECIFICALLY MANDATED BY THE OAU COUNCIL OF MINISTERS NOW MEETING IN LIBREVILLE TO COME TO THE SC ON THIS ISSUE. HE SPOKE OF RHODESIA'S SUPERIOR MILITARY EQUIPMENT, SAID SOME OF IT WAS NOT OF SOUTH AFRICAN ORIGIN, AND ASKED THE SC WHAT IT WOULD DO TO END SUCH SCANDALOUS PRACTICE. HE STATED THAT THE SC SHOULD RESPOND POSITIVELY TO THE CALL MADE AT MAPUTO FOR THE WIDENING OF THE SANCTIONS TO INCLUDE ALL MEASURES ENVISAGED UNDER CHARTER ART. 41. IT MUST ALSO GIVE ASSISTANCE TO THE LIBERATION MOVEMENT, AND MUST SUPPORT THOSE COUNTRIES THAT SUFFER CONSTANT HARASSMENT AND REPEATED AGGRESSION FROM THE RACIST REGIME. THE ARGUMENT MIGHT BE ADVANCED THAT NEGOTIATIONS MIGHT BE JEOPARDIZED IF ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL PRESSURES WERE INTENSIFIED, BUT MKAPA HELD OPPOSITE VIEW. HE WAS CONFIDENT THE SC WOULD RESPOND POSITIVELY TO OAU'S CALL ON ALL STATES TO PROVIDE MOZAMBIQUE WITH ALL PRACTICAL ASSISTANCE TO ENABLE IT TO DEFEND ITSELF.

ANGOLA -- FIRST VICE PRIME MINISTER DOS SANTOS SAID THAT SOME WESTERN UN MEMBERS, BECAUSE OF THEIR MILITARY AND ECONOMIC SUPPORT FOR THE MINORITY REGIMES, WERE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE AGGRESSION CARRIED OUT AGAINST MOZAMBIQUE AND OTHER STATES. THE ATTACKS BY THE RACISTS WERE EVIDENTLY PART OF A GENERAL PLAN TO DESTABILIZE THE MILITARY AND POLITICAL SITUATION IN MOZAMBIQUE, ZAMBIA, ANGOLA AND BOTSWANA.

SENEGAL -- DJIGO, ACTING CHAIRMAN OF THE AFRICAN GROUP, DECLARED THAT THE AGGRESSION WAS "AGGRESSION AGAINST ALL AFRICA," THE AFRICAN STATES WOULD "ACT BY DEEDS,"
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AND THE OAU DEFENSE COMMISSION WAS MEETING TO ASSIST THE FRONT-LINE STATES. HE SAID THE UK HAD SHIRKED ITS RESPONSIBILITIES, AND THE NATO MEMBERS WHICH SUPPLIED ARMS TO THE SMITH REGIME WERE ALSO AT FAULT. THE CREDIBILITY OF THE SC WAS AT STAKE. THE UN "MUST SHARE THE BURDENS OF MOZAMBIQUE AND GIVE IT ASSISTANCE."

NIGERIA -- BRIGADIER GARBA THOUGHT IT WAS NOT A COINCIDENCE THAT THE LATEST AGGRESSION HAD BEEN CARRIED OUT AT A TIME WHEN THE ANGLO-AMERICAN INITIATIVE WAS UNDERWAY. ONLY ARMED STRUGGLE REMAINED, IN HIS VIEW. A LOT HAD BEEN SAID ABOUT EXTRACONTINENTAL FORCES IN AFRICA, BUT HE WISHED

TO POINT OUT THAT IN THE STRUGGLE FOR AFRICAN FREEDOM THE SOVIET UNION AND OTHER PROGRESSIVE SOCIALIST COUNTRIES HAD REMAINED THE CONSTANT SUPPORTERS OF AFRICA. HE ALSO SALUTED SWEDEN, NORWAY AND DENMARK FOR THEIR SUPPORT. IF A RACIAL CONFLAGRATION WERE TO ENGULF SOUTHERN AFRICA, NIGERIA COULD NOT "REMAIN ON THE SIDE-LINES." NIGERIA WAS PREPARED, IN CONCERT WITH ALL OAU MEMBERS AND OTHER PROGRESSIVE FORCES, "TO TAKE APPROPRIATE RETALIATORY MEASURES AGAINST ANY FURTHER VIOLATIONS OF THE TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY OF THE FRONT-LINE STATES," GARBA DECLARED. THE SC AND THE UN AS A WHOLE HAD A MORAL RESPONSIBILITY TO PROVIDE MOZAMBIQUE WITH ALL MATERIAL ASSISTANCE NEEDED TO ENABLE IT TO REPEL THE AGGRESSION, GARBA SAID, SUGGESTING THE UN INCREASE ITS LEVEL OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO MOZAMBIQUE AS A MATTER OF URGENCY. HE ALSO CALLED ON ALL WESTERN COUNTRIES TO JOIN PROGRESSIVE FORCES IN STRICT APPLICATION OF SANCTIONS, INCLUDING AN OIL AND ARMS EMBARGO AGAINST RHODESIA AND SOUTH AFRICA.

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LESOTHO -- FOREIGN MINISTER MOLAPO HAILED THE CARTER ADMINISTRATION, BUT COMMENTED THAT THE US, UK, ETC., ARE SUPPLYING OIL TO RHODESIA THROUGH SUBSIDIARIES IN SOUTH AFRICA. MOZAMBIQUE HAD NOT ATTACKED RHODESIA, SO EVEN THE PRINCIPLE OF SELF-DEFENSE COULD NOT APPLY. MOLAPO SAID IT WAS THE VIEW OF THE AFRICAN STATES THAT THE SC SHOULD TAKE EFFECTIVE CHAPTER VII MEASURES, AND ADDED THAT THE LATEST ACTIONS OF THE SMITH REGIME SHOULD CONVINCE EVERYONE "THAT IT IS A WASTE OF TIME T HOPE FOR A NEGOTIATED SETTLEMENT." PROMPT AND EFFECTIVE ASSISTANCE SHOULD BE GIVEN TO MOZAMBIQUE TO ENABLE IT TO STRENGTHEN ITS DEFENSE CAPABILITIES AND TO OVERCOME THE MATERIAL LOSSES INCURRED AS A RESULT OF THE AGGRESSION. MOREOVER, THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY SHOULD OPENLY EXPRESS ITSELF AGAINST THE FALLACY OF THE DOCTRINE OF HOT PURSUIT.

BENIN -- HOUNGAVOU ASSERTED THAT SMITH WAS RECEIVING WEAPONS FROM CERTAIN SC MEMBERS AND THAT THOSE SAME STATES WERE CARRYINGOUT DIPLOMATIC MANEUVERS AND TRYING TO MYSTIFY THE AFRICAN PEOPLE. "THE IMPERIALIST WEST" WOULD STOP AT NOTHING IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN ITS POSITION OF PRIVILEGE, AND THE STATES CONCERNED BORE MUCH RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE RACIST REGIME'S AGGRESSION AND RESULTING CASUALTIES. ALL AFRICA SUPPORTED MOZAMBIQUE'S LEGITIMATE REQUESTS, HE SAID, ADDING THAT BENIN WOULD OBJECT TO ANY ATTEMPTS TO REMOVE THE CONTENT OF THE PROPOSALS THAT WERE BEING MADE.

EGYPT -- MEGUID STATED THAT A CRITICAL SITUATION, FRAUGHT WITH DANGER TO PEACE IN AFRICA AND THE WORLD AT LARGE, HAD MATERIALIZED. THE LEAST THE INTERNATIONAL
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COMMUNITY COULD DO WAS TO RESPOND SWIFTLY AND EFFECTIVELY
TO MOZAMBIQUE'S APPEAL BY HELPING THAT COUNTRY INCREASE
ITS DEFENSIVE CAPACITY AND RECONSTRUCT THE DEVASTATED
AREAS. MEGUID ALSO HOPED THAT THE SC WOULD ASSUME ITS
FULL RESPONSIBILITY BY ADOPTING CONCRETE MEASURES AGAINST
THE ILLEGAL RHODESIAN REGIME AND ITS SOUTH AFRICAN
ALLIES. (REPEATED INFO BONN, GABORONE, LAGOS, LIBREVILLE,
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